## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ADLIFE MARKETING & : COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, INC., :

Plaintiff :

: No. 1:21-cy-00741

**v.** 

: (Judge Kane)

KARNS PRIME AND :

FANCY FOOD LTD, et al., : Defendants :

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## <u>ORDER</u>

AND NOW, on this 16th day of July 2021, upon consideration of: (1) the motions to dismiss filed by Defendants Karns Prime and Fancy Food LTD and Fry Communications, Inc. ("Defendants") (Doc. Nos. 14, 25); (2) Plaintiff's notice of appeal in the related action, Adlife Marketing & Communications Company, Inc. v. Karns Prime and Fancy Food LTD et al., 1:19-cv-01638-YK ("Adlife I"), docketed at Doc. No. 86, 1:19-cv-01638; (3) and the parties' responses (Doc. Nos. 19, 21, 22) to the Court's Order of June 4, 2021, in which the Court directed the parties to show cause why the above-captioned action should not be stayed pending the outcome of Plaintiff's appeal in Adlife I (Doc. No. 17), IT IS ORDERED THAT the above-captioned action is STAYED pending the outcome of Plaintiff's appeal.

s/ Yvette Kane

Yvette Kane, District Judge United States District Court Middle District of Pennsylvania

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In response to the Court's Order to show cause, Defendants agree that a stay is warranted in light of the relationship between the above-captioned action and <u>Adlife I</u> and the fact that Defendants assert claim preclusion as the basis for their motions to dismiss. (Doc. Nos. 19, 21.) Plaintiff does not agree to a stay. (Doc. No. 22.) However, the Court nonetheless finds that, in the interest of judicial economy, it is appropriate to stay the above-captioned action.